

## **DETAILED ACTION**

1. This communication is responsive to the amendment filed 07/03/2008 and the telephonic interview on 10/23/2008.

Claims 1, 3-7, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, 17, and 19-24 have been examined and allowed.

2. **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT:**

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Mr. Nick P. Patel (Registration No. 57, 365) on 10/23/2008.

**The application has been amended as follows:**

**In the Claims:**

**This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:**

1. (Currently Amended) A computer system comprising:
  - a central processing unit (CPU);
  - a memory unit coupled to the CPU;
  - an application stored in the memory unit and executable by the CPU; [[and]]
  - a facade server stored in the memory unit and executable by the CPU[[],]; and
  - a program stored in the memory unit and executable by the CPU, wherein the
  - program creates an interface between the facade server and a web-browser for
  - exchanging data associated with the application,
  - wherein the facade server hosts the application without utilizing network
  - protocols and without opening network ports.
2. (Cancelled)
3. (Currently Amended) The system of claim [[2]] 1 wherein the program interacts with the facade server through a local protocol registered on the system.
4. (Original) The system of claim 1 wherein the application comprises one of a plurality of applications hosted by the facade server without utilizing network protocols.
5. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1 wherein the application, the facade

server, and a web-server interface by which the application exchanges data with the facade server all utilize a common address space.

6. (Original) The system of claim 1 further comprising a web-server, wherein the web-server handles connections to the application when operating in a network mode, and the facade server handles connections to the application when operating in a local-only mode.

7. (Currently Amended) A computer-implemented method comprising:

generating application data from a web-based application hosted on an executable facade server via a web-server interface;

providing said application data from the executable facade server to a web-browser using a local protocol; and

using said web-browser to display said application data on a display,

wherein the executable facade server hosts the web-based application without utilizing network protocols and without opening network ports.

8. (Canceled).

9. (Original) The method of claim 7 wherein the local protocol uses a data transfer mechanism selected from the group consisting of software component models, named data pipes, memory mapped I/O streams, data files, and a combination thereof.

10. (Original) The method of claim 7 wherein the web-based application generates the application data by utilizing a web-based technology selected from the group consisting of Perl, Java®, JavaScript®, active server pages (ASP), hypertext preprocessing (PHP), hypertext markup language (HTML), and a combination thereof.

11. (Canceled).

12. (Currently Amended) A computer readable media storing instructions executable by a computer system, and when executed the instructions implement a method comprising:

generating application data from a web-based application hosted on an executable facade server via a web-server interface; [[and]]

providing said application data from the executable facade server to a web-browser using a local protocol;

using said web-browser to display said application data on a display,

wherein the executable facade server hosts the web-based application without utilizing network protocols and without opening network ports.

13. (Canceled).

14. (Original) The computer readable media of claim 12 wherein the local protocol uses a data transfer mechanism selected from the group consisting of software component

models, named data pipes, memory mapped I/O streams, data files, and a combination thereof.

15. (Original) The computer readable media of claim 12 wherein the web- based application generates the applications using a web-based technology selected from the group consisting of Perl, Java, JavaScript, active server pages (ASP), hypertext preprocessing (PHP), and hypertext markup language (HTML), and a combination thereof.

16. (Canceled).

17. (Currently Amended) A computer system comprising:

means for executing programs;

means for storing data coupled to the means for executing programs;

means for generating application data from a web-based application,

wherein the web-based application is stored in the means for storing data and executable by the means for executing programs; and

means for hosting the web-based application, wherein the means for hosting the web-based application is stored in the means for storing data and executable by the means for executing programs; and

wherein a program executed by the means for executing programs interfaces the means for generating application data with means for viewing the application data; and

wherein the means for hosting the web-based application does not utilize network protocols and does not open network ports.

18. (Cancelled)

19. (Original) The system of claim 17 wherein the means for hosting the web- based application is capable of mimicking a plurality of web-servers.

20. (Original) The system of claim 17 wherein the web-based application comprises a plurality of web-based applications.

21. (Previously presented) The system of claim 17 further comprising means for hosting data on a network, wherein the means for hosting data on a network is stored in the means for storing data and is executable by the means for executing programs; and wherein the means for hosting data on the network handles connections to the web-based application when the system is operating in a network mode, and the means for hosting the web-based application without utilizing network protocols handles connections to the web-based application when operating in a local-only mode.

22. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the web-based application, the facade server and the web-server interface all share a common address space.

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23. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7 further comprising: providing an executable web server for hosting data on a network; if operating in a network mode, using the executable web server to provide connections to the web based application; and if operating in a local-only mode, using the executable facade server to provide connections to the web based application.

24. (Previously presented) The computer readable media of claim 12, wherein the web-based application, the executable facade server and the web server interface all share a common address space.

### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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